Recommendations to the FCC regarding STS:

- 1. People with speech disability need better access to Speech-To-Speech services.
- 2. More people with speech disabilities need to be taught to use STS.
- 3. Telephone operators need specific training so that they can provide the best assistance to STS users.
- 4. To assist individuals with speech and language challenges, operators need to stay on the call long enough to get used to the way these individuals talk.
- 5. Operators should remind callers that everything they say will be kept confidential.
- 6. All these statements also apply to people who use STS on the computer.
- 7. STS should be a national service.

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